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In reply refer to: C-4

Mr. Lon L. Peters  
Northwest Economic Research, Inc.  
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Portland, OR 97225-2668

RE: FOIA Request #03-026

Dear Mr. Peters:

Thank you for the faxed letter of May 5, 2003 requesting the following:

All documents associated with the preparation for compliance with the National Environment Policy Act (NEPA) in the SN-03 docket: BPA's Proposed Safety-Net Cost Recovery Adjustment clause Adjustment to 2002 wholesale power rates. Specifically, provide the initial review prepared by BPA and referenced in the Federal Register notice, any determinations made pursuant to such review, and any documentation of expectations that BPA may tier previous decisions under NEPA in this docket to the Business Plan Record of Decision, issued in June 1995. Documentation should also include preparations for any public processes as required under NEPA associated with this docket.

Your request was received by our office on May 13, 2003 and has been logged in as FOIA #03-026.

You have agreed to pay for costs up to \$50 and asked that if costs for your request exceed \$50, that we call you before proceeding.

Mr. Herbert Adams, Attorney, BPA Office of General Counsel, has been designated as Authorizing Official for your request. Mr. Adams has 20 working days, until June 11, 2003, to provide a response. Should you have any questions she may be reached at Mail Stop LC-7 or by calling 503-230-4312.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Annie Eissler". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Annie Eissler  
Freedom of Information Officer